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### REPUBLICAN CITY TICKET.

FOR MAYOR.  
R. F. CALDWELL.  
CITY CLERK.  
CHARLES F. SCHULTZ.  
CITY SHERIFF.  
THOS. D. BENNETT.  
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### Mr. Cleveland and the Boys

It does not require abnormally acute hearing to gather in the sentiments of the boys towards Mr. Cleveland. There is not open rebellion, but there is a heavy undertow that disturbs things generally.

The boys continue to be glad that they helped to elect a President, but they would rejoice more if they were sure that the next President is to be a Democrat. In this there is no reference to foreign policies—the next President may regard Bering sea as open or closed, abolish the seal or put them all in glass cases, according to his fancy. They are not bothered about the tariff—President Cleveland may increase all the duties or knock down all custom houses as he may think best.

It is the matter of the offices that engages the attention and arouses the deep sympathies of the boys. What is Mr. Cleveland going to do about them? Will he bear in kindly remembrance that there are in this world such people as victors and such things as spoils?

Since he has made sure of his own calling and election, he seems to have been smitten with a short memory. He is unable to establish the connection between his triumph and the boys, showing a strange disposition to attribute his election to his personal strength and unconquerable popularity.

So far from recognizing the boys, he has given out that he regards as vulgar any effort to secure a job before he shall be comfortably installed in his. The INTELLIGENCER has heard it remarked among the boys that a man who has thrice secured the presidential nomination, to say nothing of his eagerness in other days to grab anything that was within reach, should show more fellow feeling in a matter touching so closely so many who bore the heat and burden of the day.

It is no partisan stretch of the imagination to say that the boys are wondering "where they are at" and where they are to be in the near future. In West Virginia the ranks of the boys bristle with interrogation points.

Boss Crocker is about to move into an \$85,000 house. It pays to be the chief of Tammany.

Growing West Virginia.  
The Pittsburgh Dispatch reminds its readers that the development of West Virginia is going on, and that "a recognition of West Virginia's importance to Pittsburgh" will be well for that city.

Which may serve as a reminder to Wheeling that West Virginia is of some importance here, that other cities are seeking a trade which may just as well be fastened by Wheeling, and that the way to get it and to hold it is to hustle for it.

There is going to be much more of West Virginia, and Wheeling's share of it should increase with the growth of the industries and population of the state.

PADEWSKI has had his hair cut. Some men go slow when they make themselves Christmas presents.

### He Died Well.

Heinrich, head of the Economites, died an ideal death, no disease, no pain, merely a gentle and sweet dropping out of this life into another. The human machine, well used but not abused, ran regularly until it was worn out, then stopped. It had run for nearly ninety years, most of this time in the quiet, well-ordered community in which it ran itself out.

The price of the ideal death is a temperate life, not too much eating, not too much drinking, sleep enough, work enough, a mind at ease, the peace of an abiding content. To die well one must live well.

It is sad to know that relations are strained between Mr. Sullivan and Mr. Corbett. Once these eminent gentlemen were very close to each other.

ATTORNEY-GENERAL CALDWELL, speaking through the Register, makes a strong point against the West Virginia practice of chartering corporations to do business entirely outside of the state. He well says that the practice "is re-

pugnant to every sense of propriety." The little money the state derives from it is no compensation for the reproach. The legislature would do well to put a stop to the business.

MEXICO wants the borders of immigrants whom this country will be only too glad to get rid of. Let Mexico have them and good luck to her. It may be easier to meet all the requirements of good citizenship in Mexico.

### Mr. Cleveland's Vote.

In 1888 Mr. Cleveland received 5,530,242 votes and was defeated. This year he received 5,007,124 and was elected. The figures are not up to the normal growth of the Democratic party.

Mr. Cleveland should have received a larger vote. This he could have done and still been defeated by General Harrison if the Populists and Prohibitionists had not drawn from the Republican vote as they did and where they did. It was the distribution of this cut, rather than the extent of it, that defeated the Republican nominees.

There is nothing in the figures to dishearten Republicans, everything in them to cause the Democratic party to keep close to shore.

Now that Jerry Simpson has compromised with fashion and taken to wearing socks, he celebrates the event by aspiring to the United States senate. Jerry seems to forget that he has an uncommonly smart woman to run against.

### Is This a Joke?

Mayor Seabright has been telling the folks up in Pittsburgh how the social evil is regulated in Wheeling. It isn't regulated at all. It is a go-as-you-please affair. It is on the same footing as every other kind of professional law-breaking. The idea of Mayor Seabright regulating it is too absurd to talk about. The suggestion will make everybody interested in the business laugh outright.

Here is one of the sentiments to which Dr. McGlynn gave utterance while he may be said to have been in opposition:

I still hope for a democratic pope, and I'll take back all I said about the stowpige hat and let him wear any kind of a hat he chooses, if he will devote his energies to smashing his temporal throne so that it could not be rebuilt in a thousand years.

He is now quoted as saying that he takes back nothing. There is much that is peculiar in the case of Dr. McGlynn.

A DECENT respect for public opinion may interfere with the scheme to further enrich the whisky trust by increasing the tax on the trust's stock. The trust contributed liberally to the Democratic campaign fund, but the Democratic party has no desire to be hurried out of power before it is fairly in. This will give the finger pause.

A CHRISTMAS sermon which should attract wide attention was preached by Rabbi Moses, in Louisville. The greater part of it is published in to-day's INTELLIGENCER. The sermon is the product of a thoughtful and earnest mind. The idea of an expurgated revision of the New Testament for Jewish use is certainly striking.

If the French desire to overthrow the republic and set up something to wear a crown, they should call on Herz, the star performer of the Panama business. He is entitled to be regarded as the most magnificent scoundrel of his time. He cut the gay Frenchman right and left and to the bone.

Less than six months ago the state of New Jersey sent to the penitentiary sixty-two scoundrels convicted of stuffing the ballot box in Jersey City. They were pardoned for a Christmas gift. It doesn't cost so much, after all, to help the Democratic party to carry out its projects of reform.

THE point is made that the Nicaragua canal is to cost \$85,000, and the government is asked to endorse its bonds for \$100,000,000. What is to become of the \$35,000,000? This is a point that must be met. We want the canal, and we want a square deal.

THE various French pretenders might amount to something if they would stop posturing and get down to earning an honest living. This is the last thing a pretender thinks of. He must support his pretensions by leading a life of elegant leisure.

MR. CLEVELAND cannot be said to have run like a scared deer in Idaho. He received two votes in the whole state. There are more Democrats than this in Idaho, but they would not vote for the nominee of their party.

Mrs. LAMOTHE's health must be improving. We begin to hear once more great stories about her jewels.

### BREAKFAST BUDGET.

To St. Stephen has been accorded by the church as being placed in her calendar immediately after Christmas Day, in recognition of his having been the first martyr to Christian belief. The year in which he was stoned to death, as recorded in the Acts of the Apostles, is supposed to have been 33, A. D.

The secretary of the Maine state board of health quotes from physicians' letters to show that the most common faults of school houses are low ceilings, ill-ventilated and badly heated rooms. He also states that the most frequent school room diseases are catarrh, headache and sore eyes.

LEM PORTER and Jack Owen, of Liberty, Mo., had a dispute several days ago as to whether Santa Claus was real or imaginary. The dispute ended in a fight, in which Owen was fatally hurt by Porter. The latter fled, but was soon captured.

Tell me, my wintry winds  
That round about us whist  
Will not this kind of weather fall  
Our bones with cold and frost.

The principal at Los Angeles, California, dismissed the schools the other day so as to allow the scholars to visit the circus. The trustees considered his act unlawful and against the rules, and his resignation was requested.

The famous thoroughbred of Berlin, Unter den Linden, is said to be the best

lighted street in the world. It is illuminated by three lines of electric arc lamps, which are separated by two lines of lime trees.

The engineering department of the Kansas state university is making a map of Kansas, showing the geology and the mineral resources. It is to be exhibited at the World's Fair.

Now that the two leading institutions of learning on the Pacific coast have met on the foot ball field, they may be fairly ranked among American universities.—Springfield Republican.

### PERSONAL POINTS.

Willie Beckwith, the well known swimmer, died on December 13 at his home in Lambeth, London. He was one of the finest swimmers of his day, and will best be remembered perhaps through his contests with Captain Matthew Webb, the Channel swimmer, who met his death nine years ago at Niagara.

Zola has gone into seclusion for several months to work on "Docteur Pascal," his new novel, which is to complete the Rougon-Macquart series. The novelist's method of composition is interesting. He begins with his scheme well arranged and sticks to it steadily.

Frank Vincent, who has left Colombo to continue his explorations in Africa, has already traveled over 30,000 miles, and though he has had many narrow escapes, he never had a serious accident.

Andrew Carnegie is said to be a great admirer of Herbert Spencer, to whom he has made a number of gifts. The latest is said to be a fine piano.

William Woolsey, of St. Paul, Minn., must to-day show cause why his \$50 store teeth should not be sold at auction to pay the dentist's bill.

The third son of the President of France is a private in the French army, waiting for his admission to the Ecole Polytechnique.

### MORNING SMILES.

The next day after the wedding, "I suppose, Henry," said the old gentleman to the new son-in-law, "that you are aware the check for \$5,000 I put among your wedding presents was merely for a tea?" "Oh, yes, sir," responded the cheerful Henry, "and the effect was excellent. The bank cashed it this morning without a word."—Detroit Free Press.

A North Broad street clubman has been moved with righteous indignation over the fact that his wife believed a cheap little clock rather than her husband when he came home that other night and informed her that the house was only eleven just as the prevailing clock struck three.—Philadelphia Record.

A bright Chicago schoolboy, recently examined in physics, said that paper was chiefly made of wood, the supply of which must soon approach exhaustion. "Then what will the world use as a substitute for wood?" asked the teacher. "Paper," exclaimed the boy.

The "shopping woman" will continue to regard it as a mysterious dispensation of Providence that the days just before Christmas, when she has so much to do, should be the shortest of the whole year.—Kale Field's Washington.

Spencer—"I wonder how it is that so many people happen to give the same presents to a newly married couple." Mr. Nured—"I think they pool together and buy them up by the gross."—New York Herald.

### THAT TIDAL WAVE.

The Election Shows a Great Falling Off in the Democratic Natural Increase.

Complete election returns from all the states, which the Press printed recently, completely demolish the "tidal wave," "landslide" and "popular uprising" theories which the fond Mugwumps have built around the election of Grover Cleveland to the presidency. The total popular vote for the Democratic presidential candidate since 1872 is given below, together with the rate of increase every four years:

Year	Democratic	Average rate of increase
1872	2,834,070	10.2
1876	4,264,267	12.5
1880	4,414,992	12.5
1884	4,574,292	12.5
1888	5,007,124	12.5

These figures show that while the average increase in the party strength between elections from 1872 to 1888 was 19.5 per cent, Cleveland's vote of last November shows an increase of little more than 1 per cent. Now a "tidal wave," a "landslide" or a "popular uprising" means a stampede from one party into another and a tremendously increased vote for the successful candidate. In view of the fact that Mr. Cleveland's vote in 1892, when he was elected, is barely above his vote in 1888, when he was defeated, his victory is seen to be the reverse of an uprising of any kind. If there is little cause in these figures for Democratic jubilation, there is still less for Republican despondency. Not only did Republicans not vote for Cleveland, but thousands of Democrats refused to vote for him.

### Cleveland's Two Votes in Idaho.

The Press printed on Thursday last tables giving the popular vote in all the states. Of these returns all but fourteen were furnished directly to the Press by the secretaries of the states. Yesterday a report was received from A. J. Pinkham, secretary of state of Idaho, which shows the following unique result of the election in that state:

Harrison	111	\$3.99
Wheeler	1	\$0.29
Idaho	1	283
Cleveland	1	2

For cure of rheumatism, neuralgia, cuts, sprains, burns, stings, chilblains, sciatica and lumbago, use Salvation Oil.

PERHAPS there are few business men in Wheeling to which the names of Mr. Llewellyn, of Thos. C. Jenkins, Wholesale Grocer, and Mr. Jas. McKee, Postmaster, Pittsburgh, are not familiar. These gentlemen, with others equally as prominent, are the managers of the World's Columbian Exposition Transportation Company, 1314 Market street.

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Sheriff Hardman, of Tyler Co., W. V., was almost prostrated with a cold when he began using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. In speaking of it he says: "It gave me the almost instant relief. I find it to be an invaluable remedy for colds." For sale by druggists.

Holiday Rates.  
The Ohio River Railroad will sell on December 23, 24, 25, 26, and 31, 1892, and on January 1 and 2, 1893, excursion tickets between all stations on its line at ONE FARE for the round trip with return limit until January 31, 1893.

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### ONE CLASS OF PENSIONERS.

Widows of the Revolution Veterans. Some Striking Facts—Young Women Who Marry Old Men to Get Their Pensions.

Washington, Special in Baltimore Sun.

Appended to the report of Pension Commissioner Baum, which has just been printed, are a couple of tables that throw considerable light on the question of how long the United States must continue to pay pensions if the present laws remain in force. One of these is a table giving the names of the twenty widows of revolutionary soldiers who still survive and draw pensions from the government. When it is considered that the revolutionary war ended more than 111 years ago it will be seen that these ladies are open to the suspicion of being to the class of young women who marry old men to get their pensions. Representative O'Neill, of Massachusetts, recently told about, who marry veterans on the brink of the grave for the express purpose of securing their pension after death. Two of these pensioners, Nancy Rains, of Tennessee, and Annie Maria Young, of Pennsylvania, are put down on the lists as being 100 years old. They were not born until eleven years after the close of the war in which their husbands fought, and if the late Mr. Rains and the late Mr. Young were twenty years old when the war closed, they afterwards married women over thirty years younger than themselves. The other cases are all worse than these, for the other women are all younger. Most of them are below ninety, and would thus be more than forty years younger than their husbands, assuming that the latter were twenty at the close of the war. The youngest widow in the list is Mary Susan of Virginia, who is but seventy-six years old, and was therefore not born until 1816, or thirty-five years after the war closed, when her future husband was fifty-five or sixty years of age. If she did not marry Mr. Snead until she was twenty, he was a dashing young bridegroom of some seventy-five or eighty years of age at the time. If she lives to be as old as Anna Maria Young she will continue to draw a pension until the year 1916, or 135 years after the close of the war in which her husband served.

Comparing the relatively small number of men who participated in the war of the Revolution with the 2,088,391 men whose names were carried on the rolls of the Union army during the late war, and it will be seen that the pension roll will be a considerable burden on the treasury for the next seventy-five years, even if there should be no more wars in the meantime, and at the end of a century from the present time the last survivors of the great army of soldiers' widows will still be drawing their quarterly pensions from the government. If the war of the Revolution can be taken as a precedent, there are still future hundreds of widows of the civil war who are being rocked in their cradles, and widows of that war will continue to be born until the year 1900, those born in the latter year being on the same basis as Mary Snead was with regard to the Revolution, and being destined to marry about the year 1820 veterans of seventy-five or over.

The large number of young women who marry gray-headed or bald-headed old veterans, and the prospect that these marriages will keep up for thirty years longer, have led a number of congressmen to suspect that these young women marry the old fellows only to get their pensions, and a proposition to limit the pensions to soldiers' widows who were actually married before or during the war has been advocated by a number of representatives. That the veterans themselves will continue on the rolls in large numbers for many years to come is shown by the fact that there are still 105 survivors of the war of 1812 on the pension rolls, though that war has been over nearly eighty years. Very few of the men on this roll are less than ninety-five years old. The youngest is eighty-seven and the oldest is one hundred and five. They are thinning out very fast now, and in a few years but very few of them will be left. If the average length of life among the veterans of the late war shall be as great as among those of the war of 1812 it will be seen that there will still be quite a number of the old fellows on the rolls in the year 1940, though by 1945 they will have practically disappeared. The large number of young widows they will leave, however, can be estimated from the fact that with the soldiers of the war of 1812 disappearing from the rolls there are still 6,551 widows of that war drawing pensions. This is a striking illustration of Mr. Weller's injunction to "beware of the widows."

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Having tried CUTICURA REMEDIES and they did everything for me. My head and body were covered with some kind of sores, and I tried almost everything I could think of, and finally I tried the doctor, but nothing helped me. After reading your advertisement I thought I would try CUTICURA REMEDIES. I bought the CUTICURA CUTICURA SOAP, and the CUTICURA RESOLVENT, and one week after I began using them my sores dried up, and I have not had them since.

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### WHIPPED AN EDITOR.

McAuliffe Knocks Down His Former Backer—Jack Accused of Being Drunk.

New York, Dec. 27.—B. F. Benton, sporting editor of the Boston Globe, and former backer of Jack McAuliffe, arrived in this city last Saturday from England.

Last evening he had an altercation with Jack McAuliffe, during which the latter knocked him down. Policemen separated the men. Benton refused to enter a complaint, but the officer could do nothing but take McAuliffe away. Benton was pretty badly used up. His left arm was badly cut, both his eyes discolored and his forehead swollen. When seen he said he did not expect the onslaught, and McAuliffe's act was the act of a coward. McAuliffe, he said, was sore because he had refused to back him, and (Benton) knew all his weak points in the ring. McAuliffe, it is said, was under the influence of liquor.

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### STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

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de28 LOUIS J. HAYHA, Cashier.

### STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the National Bank of West Virginia, at Wheeling, will be held at the banking house on Tuesday, January 10, 1893, between the hours of 4 and 6 o'clock p. m., for the election of Directors and the transaction of any other business that may come before them.  
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